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Upon review of the Examiner's Answer of 11/15/2007, it was found that section (1) indicating the "Real Party of Interest" was not included. For complete record, section (1) is included as follows:

(1) Real Party of Interest

A statement identifying the real party of interest is contained in the brief.

In addition to the above, it is noted that, on January 29, 2008, Appellants filed a "REQUEST AND FEE TO DELETE AND/OR ADD TO ORIGINAL ERRONEOUSLY NAMED OR NOT NAMED INVENTOR(S) IN NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION-DECLARATION". This document is hereby considered.

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